

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313

Dear Sir:

Please enter the following claim amendments. A Request for Continued Examination is being filed concurrently with the present transmittal. Authorization is granted herein to deduct from Deposit Account No. 19-1970 the sum of \$395 for the Request for Continued Examination Fee. An additional Information Disclosure Statement (IDS) was filed Dec. 11, 2006 which has not been considered. Accordingly, it is requested that the Examiner consider the claims herein in light of the reference cited in the Dec. 11, 2006 IDS.

Although the Applicant believes that no additional fees are due for filing this Supplemental Amendment, please charge any additional fees deemed necessary or credit any over payment to Deposit Account No. 19-1970.